

Wednesday, January 14, 2015

Room 203 State House 10:00 AM

The meeting was called to order at by Mr. John DiTomasso.
<u>Chairperson:</u>
() *Mr. John DiTomasso
Vice Chairperson:

### **Membership**

- () Col. Steven G. O'Donnell, RI State Police
- () Mr. Michael P. Lewis, Governor's Rep to NHTSA
- () Chief Edward Mello, Jamestown Police Dept.
- () \*\*Mr. Michael P. Lewis, RIDOT Director
- () \*Ms. Rosemary Booth Gallogly, Director of Revenue

### **Secretary**

() Mr. Steven Pristawa, PE

() \*\*Mr. Bernie Frezza

### **Designees**

() Trooper Amanda Brezniak

Item Number

41429

() Mr. Robert Rocchio, PE

**Accept The Minutes From the Previous Meeting.** 

### **Consent Agenda (Motion To Continue)**

CUMBERLAND ===> NATE WHIPPLE HWY. R.I. 120

Creation Date 11/25/2014

Request from Senator Pearson for the installation of a crosswalk on Nate Whipple Highway in the vicinity of Paine Road and Holmes Road.

EAST GREENWICH ===> DAVISVILLE RD.

 Creation Date
 Item Number

 11/25/2014
 41428

Request from RIDOT to determine if the currently posted speed limit of 25 mph is appropriate on Davisville Road from Devil's Foot Road in North Kingstown to Frenchtown Road in East Greenwich. The current posted limit is 25 mph.

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NORTH KINGSTOWN ===> DAVISVILLE RD.

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 11/25/2014
 41427

Request from RIDOT to determine if the currently posted speed limit of 25 mph is appropriate on Davisville Road from Devil's Foot Road in North Kingstown to Frenchtown Road in East Greenwich

PORTSMOUTH ===> WEST MAIN RD. R.I. 114

Creation Date Start Number 8/27/2013 Start 1309

Request from RIDOT to review the speed limit on West Main Road from the Middletown Town Line to Bristol Ferry Road and recommend an appropriate speed limit for this entire stretch of roadway.

PROVIDENCE ===> SMITH ST. U.S. 44

 Creation Date
 Item Number

 7/29/2013
 41301

Request from RIDOT to study pedestrian safety at the crosswalk between 2 Capitol Hill and the State House to determine if any additional pedestrian safety countermeasures are needed.

RICHMOND ===> KINGSTOWN RD. R.I. 138

 Creation Date
 Item Number

 4/24/2014
 41383

Request from RIDOT to study the intersection with Richmond Townhouse Road (Route 112) to determine if any geometric improvements are appropriate.

SCITUATE ===> HARTFORD PK. U.S. 6 / R.I. 101

Creation Date Item Number 8/19/2014 41411

Request from Representative Marcello to perform a speed study on Hartford Pike between Route 6 and Chopmist Hill Road (Route 102) and determine an appropriate speed limit.

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**SOUTH KINGSTOWN ===> MAIN ST.** 

Creation Date Item Number 3/4/2014 41359

Request from the South Kingstown Transportation and Traffic Review Committee (TTRC) to study the existing crosswalk on Main Street (RI 1A) located just south of Blanchard Place to determine if the crosswalk should remain or be removed to provide additional parking spaces on Main Street.

SOUTH KINGSTOWN ===> SUCCOTASH RD.

 Creation Date
 Item Number

 10/6/2014
 41420

Request from RI State Police to conduct a Parking/Standing study in the vicinity of the Matunuck Oyster Bar.

WARWICK ===> NARRAGANSETT PWY.

 Creation Date
 Item Number

 10/28/2014
 41422

Request from Representative McNamara to determine appropriate traffic calming measures on the stretch of roadway from Spring Green Road to Post Road.

### **Old Business**

JAMESTOWN ===> SOUTHWEST AVE.

Creation Date Item Number 10/30/2014 41423

Request from Police Chief Mello for the installation of a crosswalk at the intersection with Spring Street/High Street.

JAMESTOWN ===> TASHTASSUC ROAD

Creation Date Item Number 10/30/2014 41424

Request from Police Chief Mello to determine an appropriate speed limit for the entire stretch of roadway from the Route 138 off-ramp to the intersection with North Main Road/North Road.

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NEWPORT ===> MEMORIAL BLVD. R.I. 138

 Creation Date
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 10/20/2014
 41421

Request from Councilor Napolitano for a no right turn on red on the northbound, eastbound, and westbound approaches to the signalized intersection with Bellevue Avenue.

#### SOUTH KINGSTOWN ===> COMMODORE PERRY HWY. U.S. 1

Creation Date Item Number 7/25/2013 41299

Request from Chief Vespia on behalf of a private citizen to conduct a safety study on all of the turnarounds located on Route 1 from Mooresfield Road to the Charlestown Town Line to determine if any additional safety measures can be implemented and/or if any of the turnarounds should be closed.

#### WARWICK ===> AIRPORT CONNECTOR

Creation Date Item Number 9/8/2014 41415

Request from the Warwick Police Department to study the speed limit on the Airport Connector Road from I-95 to Post Road to determine an appropriate speed limit. Currently there are 35 mph signs posted, however these do not coincide with STC records.

#### WESTERLY ===> WATCH HILL RD. R.I. 1A

Creation Date Stem Number 9/8/2014 Stem Number 41414

Request from the Westerly Police Chief Edward St. Clair to prohibit parking on Watch Hill Road between Ninigret Avenue and the southern intersection with Avondale Road.

### **New Business**

COVENTRY ===> MAIN ST. (WASHINGTON) R.I. 33 / R.I.117

 Creation Date
 Item Number

 12/16/2014
 41431

Request from Senator Kettle to determine if a crosswalk can be installed on Main Street in Coventry at address 1152 Main Street. The business located at this address has a parking lot across the street, and therefore patrons must cross Main Street to access the business.

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COVENTRY ===> VICTORY HWY. R.I. 102

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 41433

Request from Representative Chippendale to consider the installation of a flashing traffic signal at the intersection with Maple Valley Road/Waterman Hill Road.

NEWPORT ===> ADMIRAL KALBFUS RD. R.I. 138

Creation Date Item Number 1/9/2015 41436

Request from RIDOT to clarify a decision included in the minutes from the November 12, 2014 meeting to restrict right turn on red movements at the intersection with Hillside Avenue (Item No. 41419). The right turn on red movements will only be prohibited from the westbound and southbound approaches to the intersection.

PAWTUCKET ===> ARMISTICE BLVD. R.I. 15

Creation Date Item Number 1/6/2015 41434

Request from the City of Pawtucket to consider upgrading the existing Cross Alert system on Armistice Boulevard at the 10-Mile River Bike Path in Pawtucket to a Pedestrian Hybrid Beacon or consider installing in-pavement lighting at the crosswalk.

SCITUATE ===> PLAINFIELD PK. R.I. 14

Creation Date Item Number 1/6/2015 41435

Request from RIDOT to determine an appropriate speed limit on Plainfield Pike (RI 14) in Scituate from Route 102 to the Scituate/Johnston Town Line. The current posted speed limit does not appear to coincide with STC records on this portion of Plainfield Pike.

**STATEWIDE** 

Creation Date Item Number 1/6/2015 41432

Request from RIDOT to rescind all previous bridge postings and approve all bridge postings provided in the attached list "All Posted Bridges by City/Town" as of December 29, 2014.

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